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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, *April* 18, 1754.

HANOVER, January 7.

BY the last Post, Orders are come from England to recruit all the Regiments of Horse and Dragoons in this Electorate by the End of April. We flattered ourselves with the Hopes of seeing his Britannic Majesty, but the Letters mention positively that he will not pass the Sea this Year.

Paris, Jan. 7. It is generally believed the Parliament will be recalled, most of the Members of that Great Chamber having Leave to come and pass their Winter here.

Naples, Dec. 21. The Officers of the Police, who were charged to execute the Edict for prohibiting of Gaming, acquit themselves with all Punctuality, having lately surprized six Lords in the Milan Coffee house, who in Contempt of his Majesty's Orders were at Play, whom they arrested and carried Prisoners to the Castle of L'Oeuf, where they are still detained.

Stockholm, Jan. 1. It is certain that Orders are arrived for building several Ships of War and Frigates, for the Service of the Courts of France and Spain. Our Town-House has been lately consumed by Fire; but the Archives that were preserved there were secured and removed in Time.

Warsaw, Dec. 29. Upon Advice that several Parties of the Heidamaques were approached the Frontiers of this Kingdom, a large Party of the Crown Army were sent against them, and have not only had the good Fortune to disperse them, but even to sabre a great Number of them, and take thirty Prisoners.

Madrid, Jan. 1. The Marquis de Crux, Governor of Ceuta, has dispatched a Courier to the King, to acquaint his Majesty, that the 17th of last Month, in the Night, six Companies of Grenadiers, and fourteen Picquets of the Garrison of that Place, had made a Sally. The Detachment, being divided into three Bodies, under the Command of Don Joseph de St. Just, Don Joseph de Guever, and Don Mic'Ugalde, Colonels of the Regiments of Cordonna, Ceuta and Navarre, attack'd the Camp of the Moors in three Places, and kill'd 120 of them. Some of the Moors set Fire to their Huts, and above 300 more perished in the Flames. On the Side of the Spaniards only a Serjeant of Grenadiers was slightly wounded. Our Men destroy'd Part of the Enemy's Works, and brought to Ceuta seven Women, fourteen Children, and 454 Head of Cattle.

Hague, Jan. 23. Some private Letters from Spain say, that the Inquisition have discovered a great Number of Mohammedans, and by Permission of the King, have sentenced them to be transported to America, where they are to work in the Mines during Life. Our Letters from Italy give some Hopes that the Troubles in Corsica will at length have an End. They write from Rouen, that through the wise Precautions of the Parliament, and through the Blessings of Almighty God, an entire Stop has been put to the Epidemic Distemper which reigned there.

Paris A-la main, January 14. We learn from Genoa, that the Rebels in Corsica continue greatly enraged against the Genoese, and have determined to form themselves into two considerable Bodies, one of which is to go into Balagne, and the other into the Province of Nebbio, in order, either by fair Means or foul, to bring over to their Party the Families that have left it, and to endeavour to reconcile the Minds of the People, that they may unite in the Protection of their Country against any Attempts which the Genoese may make to oppress them, ever persisting in their Resolution to be eternally at War with the Republic, till the seven principal Persons concerned in the Murder of their General, Gaffario, are delivered up to them.

Naples, Jan. 1. Orders are issued for raising six new Battalions; which will augment our Army to between 44 and 45000 Men; 30,000 of which Number will be kept in Readiness to march wherever Occasion may require.

Naples, Jan. 3. Sr James Gray, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Great Britain, had a few Days ago a private Audience of our Sovereign, and presented his Credentials; since which he has had a Conference with the Marquis Fogliani, Secretary of State, to whom he declared, That his Britannic Majesty being extremely desirous to cement the good Understanding between him and the Crown of the Two Sicilies for the Advantage of their respective Subjects, had accepted the Proposal made by the Prince de San Severino, the King's Minister at London, for a Treaty of Commerce between the two Courts; and that he was charged with Instructions relative to this Point, as well as to the Grand Object of preserving Peace in Italy.

Rome, Jan. 5. Some Corsicans who had a Hand in the Murder of Gaffario, are arrived here, and relate strange Stories concerning the Motives and Conduct of themselves and their Accomplices: Among other Things they give us to understand, that Gaffario's own Brother was bribed by the Genoese to dispatch him, and that the Reward of his Parricide was to be a Pension of two thousand Livres.

Leghorn, Jan. 5. We have Advice from Tunis that there are eighteen Chebecks, or armed Barks, at Sea from that Port, the least of which carries 100 Men.

Genoa, Jan. 5. The Master of a Pink arrived here from Barcelona reports, that two Days before he sail'd a great Firing was heard at Sea; and as they had Intelligence that nine Algerine Chebecks were on the Coast, the Marquis de la Mina, Captain General of the Province, immediately ordered three Men of War, one of 70, and two of 60 Guns, who had just entered the Harbour, to put to Sea again; and that these Ships having steered to that Part from whence the Noise came, the Firing became much brisker, and continued from three in the Afternoon till next Morning, without their being able to learn the Issue of it. Another Master of a Vessel who is just arrived, tells us that three of the Chebecks were sunk, and two taken; and that the others escaped with much Difficulty.

Genoa, Jan. 4. We have Advice from the Coast of Barbary that the Plague is quite ceased at Algiers.

Brussels, Jan. 17. We learn from Mentz, that by Order of the Court, Monsieur the Intendant of the three Bishopricks, had issued Circular Letters to the several Chiefs and Syndicks of each respective City, Town and Village within their Jurisdiction, to send to him within the Course of this Month, an exact Account of the Number of Horses which are to be found in their respective Districts. 'Tis said that the Intendants of many other Provinces have issued the like Orders. The Report in some of the Frontier Towns of France is, that several Regiments garrisoned in Flanders and Alsace, will begin to move towards Dauphiny and Provence in March next.

Hague, Dec. 15. We learn by an Express just arrived, that the first Accounts of the terrible Fire at Moscow, were but too true. The greatest Part of the new Palace is burnt to the Ground, with an immense Quantity of rich Furniture; the Wardrobes of the Grand Duke, of the High Chancellor, the Count de Bestucheff, the Vice Chancellor, Count Woranzoff, and several other Ministers, to a prodigious Value. The Fire at Archangel destroyed, in Goods and Merchandize of different Kinds, to the Value of two Millions of Rubles; the Loss in both Places has fallen entirely upon the Russians; for the Foreigners, having taken the Precaution to build with Stone, escaped.

Naples, Dec. 11. Forty Thousand Ducats have been brought this Year into the Royal Treasury as a Tax upon the Game of Hazard, Nobody daring to play without paying a Duty.

Vienna, Dec. 22. The Count of Firmian, Ambassador for this Court to the King of the two Sicilies, is set out for Naples, and we are assured his chief Business is to assure his Majesty of the strong Desire of the Empress Queen to preserve the Peace of Italy, and to act in Concert with him to procure such a laudable Design.

Paris, Dec. 8. The Chancellor having sent for the Members of the Chatelet, spoke to them in these Words: "Gentlemen, the King will be obey'd, and he must be so. His Chatelet will force him to recal the Parliament whom he has thought proper to exile. The King is obliged to render Justice to all his Subjects; with this View he has appointed a Royal Chamber, to which he expects an entire and universal Submission. His Majesty releases you from the Oath upon which you have insisted so much, and will receive no farther Representations from you."

Genoa, Jan. 17. *A Body of French Troops is assembling in Languedoc, Provence, and Dauphiny, where they are to lie in Readiness to march into Italy, in Case the Court of France should find it necessary to have any Hand in the Affairs transacting in that Country.*

Paris, Jan. 25. *The Court has sent Orders to Toulon for a considerable Squadron to be got ready, which, 'tis assured, is designed to act against the Algerines. The old Bishop de Mirepoix lies at the Point of Death.*

Hague, Jan. 28. *It is confirmed, that the necessary Measures are already taken for rebuilding all the Fleet belonging to the Republic, and to put them in as formidable a Condition as formerly.*

Dublin, Jan. 15. *Last Saturday, about Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, the Ship Beaver, John Hamilton, Commander, laden with Flax-seed, Rum, and Pipe staves, about 200 Tons Burthen, from Philadelphia for this Port, struck on the Banks of Malahide, by the Master's mistaking, in the thick bad Weather Lambay Island for the Hill of Howth; and would probably have continued there till she beat to Pieces, but for the great Care of Mr. John Adamson, Surveyor of Malahide, who immediately went on board, supplied the Master with the whole Crew of the King's Barge, and hired another Set of Men for him on Shore, by which Means she was got safe off.*

Jan. 19. *Yesterday the Right Hon. Thomas Carter, Esq; Master of the Rolls, Anthony Malone, Esq; his Majesty's Prime Serjeant at Law, and Michael O Brian Dilkes, Esq; Quarter Master and Barrack Master General, were dismissed from their Employments; and Bellingham Boyle, Esq; Register of the Prerogative Court, had his Pension stopt.*

LONDON.

Dec. 22. Yesterday there was a Court at St. James's and a Drawing Room, at which were present a great Number of Nobility and Gentry, among whom was the Hon. George Clinton, Esq; late Governor of New York, who was received by his Majesty and the Royal Family with great Approbation.

Jan. 3. 'Tis reported that the Right Honourable the Earl of Chesterfield will be desired to accept of the Post of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Our last Letters from Hamburgh inform us, that it was currently reported there the Conferences between the Swedish and Russian Ministers, in respect to the Limits of their Dominions in Finland, are interrupted, and that there were some Apprehensions of a Misunderstanding arising thereupon between the Courts of Petersburg and Stockholm.

Jan 5. The Vessel lost off Boulogne, laden with Pitch and Tar, proves to be the Dove, Airson, from Carolina.

Jan 8. We are informed that the following Men of War will speedily sail for the East Indies, viz. the Kent, Salisbury, Eagle, Bristol, a 20 Gun Ship, and a Sloop.

They write from Moscow, that secret Councils of State are more frequent than ever, and that from a Variety of Incidents it was collected that something of great Importance is upon the Carpet, and the Removal of the Court postponed 'til May.

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Our Correſpondents at Vienna aſſure us, that in Conſequence of the Modena Treaty, a Negotiation of a very intereſting Nature has been lately ſet on Foot with the Court of Naples, and that the Miniſters of their Imperial Majeſties ſcarce make a Doubt of their fixing the Syſtem of Italy upon a ſolid and permanent Foundation.

They write from Paris, that they talk much there of a War, and that Orders have been actually ſent to Flanders to hold a conſiderable Force ready to march into Languedoc the latter End of February, or the Beginning of the Month following.

A few Days ſince ſome Expreſſes were ſent for Jamaica, which, it is ſaid, contain ſome freſh Inſtructions to the Governor, in regard to the Treatment of the Guarda Coſtas.

Jan. 10. Letters from Madrid adviſe, that when the Spaniſh Miniſtry are talked to about Captures illegally made by the Guarda Coſtas, they immediately anſwer, that full Satisfaction ſhall be given for every illegal Procedure; but when any Methods are propoſed to prevent ſuch Captures for the future, they intimate, that the Care of preventing a contraband Trade with their Settlements in the Weſt Indies, muſt be left to them.

Yeſterday it was agreed to put into Commiſſion ſeven Ships of the Line, to be got ready early in the Spring, which Ships will be named next Board Day.

Jan. 15. It is ſaid both Houſes of Parliament will be diſſolved on Thurſday the 18th of April next, with a moſt gracious Speech from the Throne, and Writs iſſued out to elect a new Parliament, the Writs to be returnable on Thurſday the 19th of June.

By a private Letter from Algiers it appears that the Dey is reſolved to perſiſt in the ill Treatment given to the French Nation, ſince upon hearing that the Conſul was coming to complain of the Death of the Captain, he ſent him Word he might if he had a Mind to meet with the ſame Uſage. He is ſaid to have confiſcated an Engliſh Ship, under Pretence of carrying on a clandeſtine Trade; but in Reality, upon Information that ſhe had a conſiderable Sum of ready Money on board.

Our Correſpondent at Paris acquaints us, that an Expreſs from Madrid has brought ſome News, which from the Buſtle it created at Court, is ſuppoſed to be of the laſt Importance; that ſeveral Perſons, who are known to be Contractors for Forage, Proviſions, and other Requiſites for Armies and Garriſons, have proceeded lately, with the greateſt Privacy, into Italy; and that the preſent State of Foreign Affairs is looked upon as an unanſwerable Reaſon for recalling the Parliament.

It is ſaid that ſome Expreſſes, lately arrived from the Court of Spain, contain many Complaints againſt the Governors of ſome Places in the Weſt Indies, for detaining ſome of the Subjects belonging to that Crown, and their Goods, under Pretence of their being Pyrates.

The Deſign of ſending two Ships and a Sloop of War this Summer to diſcover the Nor h Weſt Paſſage, is for ſome particular Reaſons laid aſide for the preſent.

Yeſterday, in ſeveral Parts of the Suburbs, proper Officers beat up for Volunteers.

Four Men, that belonged to a Collier, which lay off Limehouſe, on a Preſs Gang boarding their Ship, jump'd overboard, and were all drowned.

We have an Account that War has been declared in the Eaſt Indies, between the Natives in the Intereſt of the Engliſh, and thoſe of the French. The Manner of doing it, we are inform'd, is, by ſending an Axe from one Party to the other.

It is reported, that a conſiderable Fleet will ſail the enſuing Summer for the Mediterranean.

Upon ſome Diſpatches received on Saturday laſt, Preſs Warrants were iſſued; but Mr. White, the Meſſenger, being robbed in Deptford Road of the Packet, prevented their coming out till Tueſday, which gave Time and Opportunity for many able Hands to withdraw themſelves from Rotherhithe, &c. &c.

The Preſs was ſo warm on Tueſday Evening and Yeſterday, that they took Hands out of outward bound Veſſels.

We hear that Sir Edward Hawke, Knight of the Bath, will command a Squadron of Men of War to the Eaſt Indies, on an Expedition of great Importance.

Extract of a Letter from Goſport, Jan. 21.

"*Yeſterday Morning his Majeſty's Ships Torrington, and St Alban's, were getting under Sail for Plymouth, but the Wind coming foul, they moor'd again.*

"*The ſame Day the Right Hon. Sir Edward Hawke, Vice Admiral of the Blue, made Signals from the Terrible Man of War for a Boat with an Officer from the following Ships, viz. Monarch, Capt. Martin; Captain, Capt. Catford; and Tyger, Capt. Marſhall; when the Officers came on board they received Orders to get their reſpective Ships with all Expedition ready for the Sea, in Purſuance of which the Ships Companies began unrigging their Topmaſts.*"

There is a Picquet Guard of 100 *Men ordered to be in Readineſs at the Tower, upon a Minute's Warning, to quell any Diſturbance that may happen on Account of the Preſs for Seamen.*

It is ſaid that our Court has demanded a categorical Anſwer from that of Verſailles, concerning the Deſtination of the French Men of War ſent to the Eaſt Indies.

The Hon. the Eaſt India Company have ordered their Ships that were intended for Bombay, to go to Fort St. George.

The Imperial Court has given Orders for compleating all the Regiments in its Service againſt the firſt of May. A great Number of Cannon, caſt at Vienna, have been ſent by Water to Olmutz.

Wedneſday Night at Ten o'Clock, a Cabinet Council was held at St. James's, which did not break up till Four the next Morning, after which Diſpatches were ſent from the Secretaries Office to the Earl of Albemarle at Paris.

Thurſday Sir Edward Hawke received his Commiſſion, appointing him Commander in Chief of a Fleet conſiſting of ten Ships of the Line, and two of forty Guns, three of twenty, and four Sloops, deſigned for the Eaſt Indies.

At the ſame Time their Lordſhips ordered the Royal Sovereign and Britannia Men of War, both firſt Rates, at the Nore, to be as Hoſpital Ships, and receive all impreſſed Men, to man the Fleet for the above Expedition.

We hear that General Skelton's Regiment of Foot will be ordered on board the Fleet bound for the Eaſt Indies.

Notwithſtanding the Preſs Warrants were ſo privately delivered out, and ſo ſuddenly executed, we are informed, the Suſſex Coaſters were previouſly provided with Protections.

The Maſter of a Veſſel arrived at Leghorn from Algiers, reports, that the French Conſul and all thoſe of his Nation had received Orders to leave Algiers; and that a Rupture with France was looked upon as inevitable.

Letters received Yeſterday from Paris adviſe, the greateſt Diligence is uſed in fitting out the Men of War in the Harbour of Toulon; and that ſeveral Regiments are on their March to Provence.

We learn from Madrid that the Spaniſh Court has received Advice from the Commiſſioners of the Navy at St. Andero, that the three 70 *Gun Ships, built at that Port, were ſafely launched; and that three others of the ſame Size would be immediately put upon the Stocks.*

The following Men of War are, we hear, ordered for the Eaſt Indies, under the Command of Rear Admiral Watſon and Commodore Pocock, viz. The Culloden and Cumberland of 74 *Guns, the Kent of* 64, *Eagle of* 60, *Briſtol and Saliſbury of* 50, *Bridgewater of* 24, *and the King's Fiſhing Sloop.*

Extract of a Letter from Goſport, dated Jan. 13.

"On Thurſday Evening arrived at Spithead his Majeſty's Ship Torrington, from Nova Scotia but laſt from Liſbon, having on board Col. Hopſon, the Governor of Nova Scotia; at his going on Shore he was ſaluted with ſeveral Guns from the ſaid Ship."

Jan. 17. We hear from Dublin, that on the 2d Inſtant, Arthur Jones Nevil, Eſq; was heard by Councel, before the Privy Council, againſt the Bill for ſubjecting his Eſtate to make good all Contracts for building, re-building and repairing the Barracks according to the Reſolutions of the Houſe of Commons. And on the 4th he was heard again in the ſame Manner, when the Bill was laid aſide.

Jan. 19. Yeſterday it was reported that a Sickneſs or Plague is broke out in the Province of Normandy; and that ſtrict Orders have been ſent to the proper Officers on our Coaſts, with Regard to their Conduct towards all Veſſels coming from France.

By Letters from Paris we are aſſured, that the epidemical Diſtemper which now rages in Normandy is a Miliary Fever; that the poor People are moſt ſeverely attacked with it; and that Six Thouſand of the French Troops are ordered to draw Lines of Circumvallation, to prevent, if poſſible, the Contagion ſpreading. It is to be wiſhed ſome Care would be taken here, to prevent the Smugglers bringing it over to the Coaſts of Hampſhire, Suſſex and Kent.

We hear that ſome conſiderable Military Promotions will ſoon take Place, and that the enſuing Summer a Camp will be formed, but upon what Spot is not yet determined.

Jan. 19. *Yeſterday an Order was ſent by the Secretaries of State to the Commiſſioners of Cuſtoms, requiring them to cauſe an Embargo to be laid on all Ships which ſhall arrive from the Coaſt of Normandy, and to oblige them to perform Quarantine, on Account of an Epedimical Diſtemper which rages in thoſe Parts.*

Laſt Wedneſday died at Hungerford Park, of an Inflammation in his Bowels, the Hon. EDWARD IRELAWNY, *Eſq; aged* 54, *late Governor of Jamaica.*

Jan. 24. Impreſs Warrants having been iſſued by the Lords of the Admiralty, the Boats belonging to the ſeveral Guard Ships, &c. came up the River on Tueſday, and carried off about a thouſand Seamen from on board the Merchants Ships in the River. And we hear they have got in all 3000 Men within theſe two Days, to man the Squadron intended, it is ſaid, for the Eaſt Indies, on board of which a Regiment of Foot will be embarked.

Jan. 25. There is Advice that four Algerine Corſairs were cruizing off the Weſtern Iſlands, and gave Chace to all the Ships they met with. Capt. Edwards, in his Paſſage from Liſbon to Philadelphia, was brought to by them; but, after they had examined his Paſs, permitted him to proceed on his Voyage.

Jan. 28. His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Walſh to be Colonel of the Regiment of Foot in the Weſt Indies, lately commanded by Colonel Trelawny.

Laſt Wedneſday arrived in the Dock Yard at Portſmouth, an Expreſs to the Commiſſioners from the Lords of the Admiralty.

On Thurſday Morning arrived there another Expreſs, and in the Evening a Third.

Col. Aldercron's Regiment, which is now upon the Iriſh Eſtabliſhment, is order'd for the Eaſt Indies, and to be augmented to ſeven hundred Men by Draughts from the different Regiments in Ireland.

On Thurſday the Shipwrights, &c. working on his Majeſty's Ship Kent, in the Dock Yard at Portſmouth, received Orders to work on her all Night, as did the Maſtmakers and Capſtern Houſe. Capt. Speake is arrived at Portſmouth, to take upon him the Command of that Ship.

On Wedneſday ſailed from Spithead for the Nore, the Torrington Man of War, Thomas Howard Hutchinſon, Eſq; Commander.

It is rumour'd that the French Fleet, lately ſail'd for the Eaſt Indies, has conſiderably more than 2000 Land Forces on board, with great Quantities of warlike Stores for Land Service.

The laſt Letters from Madrid bring Advice, that an Officer, diſpatched by the Governor of Ceuta, was arrived there with an Account, that on the 17th ult. in the Night, the Garriſon of that Place made a Sally, in which, without loſing a Man, they deſtroyed the greateſt Part of the Works raiſed by the Moors in the Neighbourhood of that Town.

Jan. 31. *They write from Paris, that a Propoſal is talked of there for ſending Commiſſioners to Dunkirk from England, France, and Holland, in order to take proper Inſpection of the Works of that Port, and to agree upon what Condition they are to remain in, ſo that all Complaints in regard to Non-Obſervation of Treaties may be obviated.*

A large Quantity of Naval Stores are ordered to be ſhipped for Gibraltar and Port Mahon.

Two Veſſels are fitting out in order to carry the Tranſports in Newgate and the New Goal to his Majeſty's American Colonies.

Letters from Dublin adviſe, that the Lowes of the four Gentlemen lately diſcarded, who were all Members of Parliament, were crouded with Perſons of the higheſt Diſtinction the Day after their Diſmiſſion. It was computed that there could not be leſs than 120 *Coaches attending at the Houſe of Anthony Malone, Eſq; to compliment him on his Diſmiſſion. The Monday following being the firſt Eſſoign Day in Hilary Term, certain eminent Lawyers appeared in common Bar Gowns. It is rumoured that ſeveral other Perſons will be turned out of their Employments.*

'Tis ſaid the Italian Infantry are to be compleat in March, when his Catholic Majeſty will be enabled to march an Army of 30,000 *Men upon an Emergency.*

Feb. 1. The Froſt has been ſo ſevere for a few Days paſt, that Yeſterday Morning the Thames was almoſt froze over at Brentford.

A few Days ſince Capt. James Dobbins, Commander of the Thames Frigate, in the Maryland Trade, was married to Miſs Ayland, of Corabill.

Goſport, Feb. 2. Yeſterday Afternoon Impreſs Warrants were iſſued out, and the Ganga were out all Night at Cowes, &c. and this Morning it continued very briſk in the Harbour, not a Boat being ſuffer'd to paſs without being ſearch'd. They have pick'd up a great many uſeful Hands.

Feb. 4. On Saturday there was a Board of Admiralty, which ſat late, and on their riſing, Meſſengers were diſpatch'd to ſeveral Sea Ports.

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On Tuesday Night arrived off South *River*, *the Ship* Betsey, *Capt.* John White, *who brings Advice, That his own Crew, and the Crews of every Merchant Ship in the River* Thames, *were preſſed in one Night, to man a Fleet of Men-of-War, deſigned to follow and obſerve a* French *Fleet, ready to ſail from* Breſt, *bound, as it is imagined, to the* Eaſt Indies. *Likewiſe, that the ſuppoſed Plague in* France, *is quite ſtopped, having proved no more than a common Sickneſs.*

We have juſt heard, that Mrs. Brookes, *a Widow Gentlewoman, near* Upper Marlborough, *fell ſuddenly into the Fire, and no Aſſiſtance being near, periſhed in the Flames.*

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On Wedneſday the 12*th of* June *next, at the Houſe of* Charles Wallace, *in* Annapolis,

THE following Tracts of Land, and Lots of Ground, belonging to the Eſtate of *William Peele*, deceaſed, *viz.*

Duvall's Range, containing 300 Acres, lying in *Anne Arundel* County, near the great Falls of *Patuxent* River, on both Sides of a Branch called *Hankeſs's Branch*

Sympſon's Stones, containing 153 Acres, lying in *Anne Arundel* County, near *Huntington*.

Batchelor's Choice, containing 100 Acres, lying in *Anne Arundel* County, on the South Side of the main Falls of *Patapſco* River.

Joſeph's Favour, containing 100 Acres, lying in *Baltimore* County, on the Weſt Side of the great Falls of *Gunpowder* River, and on the North Side of a Run called *The Beaver Dam Run*.

Two Lots of Ground lying in that Part of *Annapolis* called the *New Town*, being N°. Q and L, on the laſt of which there is a Wooden Houſe, with two Brick Chimneys.

For Sterling or Current Money, by

James Mouat,
James Dick,
James Nicholſon, } Executors.

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Stephen Weſt.

THE Subſcriber being removed to *Upper Marlborough*, all Perſons who have any Demands againſt him, contracted during his Reſidence at *Annapolis*, are deſired to ſend in their Accounts to Mr. *Dick*'s Store there, that they may be adjuſted and paid: And thoſe who are any Ways indebted to him, are requeſted to ſettle and pay off their reſpective Accounts to Mr. *James Dick*, who will grant proper Diſcharges for ſuch Payments. *Stephen Weſt.*

WHEREAS Meſſieurs *Hanburys* Friends have been adviſed, by Way of Advertiſement, That there was a large Ship expected into *Patapſco* River from them to ſerve their Friends with Freight: And that Meſſieurs *Hanburys* had nothing to do with the Ship *Hanbury* belonging to the Subſcriber, *James Creagh*, Maſter, ſhe not being done in Time to comply with the Charter. It is true ſhe was not: Nor did I ever claim any Right thereto; but as I did my Endeavour to get the ſaid Ship ready as ſoon as poſſibly I could, and put myſelf to a great Expence more than I had need otherwiſe to have done, in order to ſerve Meſſieurs *Hanburys* and Friends, nor ever offered her to the Addreſs of any other Gentlemen; for which Reaſons I always thought myſelf juſtly intitled to Meſſieurs *Hanburys* and Friends Intereſt and Aſſiſtance, in loading and diſpatching the ſaid Ship: And as ſhe is a Country, well built Ship, tight, ſtaunch, and ſtrong, and well fitted, and will be in *Patapſco* River in a few Days, and takes in Tobacco, on Liberty, at Seven Pounds Sterling *per* Ton, ſhall be greatly obliged to all Gentlemen that will pleaſe to favour me with Freight to diſpatch her, hoping it will be to their Advantage, as I am in great Hopes ſhe will be a forward Ship, as well as greatly oblige

Their humble Servant,
Patrick Creagh.

April 12, 1754.

DESERTED from the *Virginia* Regiment, the following Men, *viz.*

John and *Jacob Bile*, two *New England* Men, about 25 Years of Age, and each 6 Feet 4 Inches high; one of them ſquints, and the other lips, or has a Defect in his Speech. They had both Thunder and Lightning Jackets; one had red, and the other Lea'her Breeches. They took their Arms with them, having *Virginia*, 1750, engraved on the Barrels.

Thomas Locker, born in *Maryland*, 26 Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a pale Complexion, with dark Hair, is well made, and active. He had on a red Coat turn'd up with b'ue, and Leather Breeches: He carried away his Arms, mark'd as the others.

William Turner, a Shoemaker, of a very ill Aſpect, thick Lips, large Teeth, 30 Years old, 5 Feet 2 Inches high, and is ſlender. He had on a red Coat, and Leather Breeches.

John Wilſon, a Shoemaker, of a dark Complexion, has dark Hair, 26 Years old, well made, and likely, and 5 Feet 7 Inches high. He had on a red Coat, and Leather Breeches.

John M'Intoſh, a Carpenter, of a fair Complexion, light Hair, 26 Years old, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, pretty well made, and dreſt as the others.

James Guin a Shoemaker, born in *Ire'and*, 45 Years old, 6 Feet high, well let, much freckled, is bald, his Beard red. He was ſeen in Company with one *Elizabeth M'Aboy*, who lived in *Stafford* County, *Virginia*.

Whoever will apprehend any of the ſaid Deſerters, and deliver them to me at *Alexandria*, ſhall have for each of the three firſt named THREE PISTOLES, and TWO PISTOLES for each of the others, paid by

1 pd. Joſhua Fry.

To be SOLD, by Public Vendue,

on Wedneſday the 24*th of this Inſtant* April, *at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the late Dwelling Houſe of* Daniel Wells, *near Mrs.* M'Leod's, *in* Annapolis, *for the Benefit of his Creditors*,

SEVERAL Sorts of Houſhold GOODS: As alſo, very good Horſes, Cows, Yearlings, Hogs, *&c. &c.*

Severn Ferry, *April* 18, 1754

LOST, on Saturday the 13th of this Inſtant, between *Severn* Ferry, and *South*-River-Ferry, two Aprons, two Cambrick Handkerchiefs, two Caps, and two Pair of Ruffles.

Whoever will bring the aforeſaid Things to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward, paid by

1 George Page.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living at *Lower Marlborough*, an Indented Servant Man, named *George Richards*, a Taylor by Trade, of a ſmall Size, about 35 Years of Age, and has black Hair. He had on a Snuff colour'd Cloth Coat, blue Cloth Jacket and Breeches, black Stockings, a Pair of turn'd Pumps, and a light brown cut Wig.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward, beſides what the Law allows, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

1 pd 7/6 David Mather.

April 15, 1754.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Weſt Nottingham*, in *Cheſter* County, *Pennſylvania*, the two following *Iriſh* Servant Men, *viz.*

Joſeph Byers, ſpeaks on the *Scotch* Tongue, is about 19 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, a little Pock mark'd, and wore ſhort browniſh Hair, but probably may cut it off, as he took with him a Silk Cap: Had on when he went away, a grey Cloth Jacket, and a Silk ſtrip'd one under it, new Leather Breeches, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, Wool Hat, *&c.*

William Gore, a ſhort ſet Fellow, about 19 Years of Age, has a little of the Brogue, and has ſhort brown Hair: Had on when he went away, a brown Camblet Jacket and Breeches lined with red Shalloon; they had both check's and white Shirts.

Whoever takes up, and ſecures, ſaid Servants, ſo that their Maſter may have them again, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward for each, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

1 pd. James Evans.

THE Partnerſhip between *Clayton* and *Quayſe*, Butchers in this City, being now broke off, this is to forewarn any Perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, not to pay any Part or Parcel of their Debts, to the ſaid *Clayton*; but they are deſired to pay them to the Subſcriber, who will give them a ſufficient Indemnification.

As the ſaid *Quayſe* as Principal, has advanced ſeveral Sums of Money, to carry on their Buſineſs, and being liable to be ſued for the Debts, he has undertaken to pay all Debts contracted by their Partnerſhip before Friday laſt; but nothing ſince.

Thomas Quayſe.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Baltimore Town*, in *Baltimore* County, *Maryland*, an *Engliſh* Convict Servant Man, named *John Moll*, born in *Staffordſhire*, and talks much on that Dialect; he is a luſty well made Fellow, has ſtraight black Hair, a black Beard, black Eyes, is full faced, and freſh colour'd, and about 30 Years of Age. Had on and took with him, a coarſe Caſtor Hat, a dark colour'd Frock like unto Sacking, very dirty with Fat and Greaſe, with flat Metal Buttons much tarniſhed, a white Country Cloth Jacket with Pewter Buttons, a light brown Cloth Jacket, two Pair of Breeches, one of them black Hair Shag pieced on the Knees, and pieced in ſeveral other Places with the ſame, with yellow Metal Buttons, the other Country Cloth, patched on the Knees, a Pair of black and white Country made Stockings, a Pair of new Country made ſtrong Shoes, a Pair of narrow rimm'd Copper Buckles, two Oſnabrigs Shirts, and two coarſe white Shirts much worn. He is ſuppoſed to have gone off with an *Engliſh* Convict Servant Man belonging to Mr. *William Lux*, living near the Subſcriber, named *William Faulkner*, born in *Lincolnſhire*, about 24 Years of Age, has a ſmooth Face, a black Beard, is luſty and well made, and by Trade a Taylor. Had on when he went away, a light colour'd Frize Coat, a white Duffell Jacket with Braſs Buttons, red Plush Breeches, grey Worſted Stockings, old *Engliſh* Shoes, plain Copper Buckles, and a white Shirt.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servants, or either of them, and brings them to their Maſters, ſhall have Three Pounds Reward for each, if taken in *Maryland*; and Four Pounds for each, if taken in any other Province, paid by

John Ridgely.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed a Convict Servant Man of Mr. *Lloyd Buchanan*'s is in Company; he is a luſty Man, and of a middle Age.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, in *Anne Arundel* County, a Convict Servant Man, named *Thomas Davis*, born in *Wales*, a ſhort well ſet Fellow. Had on when he went away, a long blue Cloth Coat, double breaſted, with large Metal Buttons, a white Cotton Jacket and Breeches (his Breeches are patched on the Knees with green Patches), an Oſnabrigs Shirt, Yarn Stockings, Country made Shoes, and either a Cap made of Country Cloth, or a ſmall old Felt Hat: He ſometime ago put his Ankle out of Place, and pretends to be very lame.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and brings him to his Maſter, ſhall have a Reward of Two Piſtoles, if taken out of this County.

John Dorſey, junior.

GAMALIEL BUTLER,

Living in Bell-Street, *near the Dock, in* Annapolis,

HAVING engaged a very good Workman in the CABINET-WAY, hereby gives Notice to all Gentlemen and Others, that he will ſupply them with all Sorts of Cabinet-Work, ſuch as Deſks, Eſcrutores, Tables, Chairs, Bedſteads, *&c. &c.* in a very neat Manner, and at the cheapeſt Rates, by

Their humble Servant,
Gamaliel Butler.

DROPPED from behind a Chaiſe between *Bladenſburg* and the late Governor's Plantation, in *Prince George's* County, a PORTMANTEAU, wherein was contained Shirts, Stockings, two ſmall Books, *&c.*

Whoever will bring the ſaid Portmanteau, with the Things in it, to the Printer hereof, ſhall have TWO PISTOLES Reward.

LENT, but to whom forgot, One Volume of *The Maryland Gazette*, containing from Numb. 90, to 234, Papers, half Bound. Whoever has it, is deſired to return it to the Printer.

RAN away from the Subscriber, in *London Town*, on the 31st of *March* last, a Servant Man, named *John Flack*, alias *Evans*, by Trade a Sail-Maker; he is a short sprightly Man; he is a very artful, sly, smooth tongued Fellow, has his Story by Heart, is very much given to Drink, and when in Liquor, is very impudent; he is very much mark'd with Gun-Powder; under his right Breast he has the Representation of *Adam* and *Eve* sitting under a Tree; and on the back of one of his Hands J, O, H, N, and on the other F, L, A, C, K, and has many other Marks in his Arms and Body; and under the Ham of his left Leg is full of Sores. He had on when he went away, a striped red and white Flannel Jacket, a Shirt made of Sheeting Linnen, and a Pair of Duck Trowsers much tarr'd.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him so that his Master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows. *William Bicknell.*

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of *David Watson*, living at *Anti-Eatem*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a White Horse, branded I H; he had on a large Bell.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *William Welsh*, at *Anti Eatem*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a White Mare, branded on the left Shoulder with a Woman's Stirrup Iron, and on the right Shoulder F C.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *John Draper*, living at *Anti Eatem*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a White Mare, branded with an Heart on the left Shoulder.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *William Forrest*, in *Anne Arundel* County, about 3 Miles from *Patapsco* Ferry, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Horse Colt, about 2 Years old, has a Star in his Forehead, and a Snip on his Nose, but neither branded nor dock'd.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of *Mary Evans*, in *Prince George's* County, taken up as a Stray, an Iron Grey Horse, about 14 Hands high, has some black Spots on his Shoulders, his hind Feet are white, and has been dock'd, but has no visible Brand. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Absolom Butler*, in *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a well-set small Bay Horse, branded on the near Buttock L, is shod before, and has a white Spot in his Forehead.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of *William Pearce*, in *Baltimore Town*, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Mare, about 12 Hands high, neither dock'd nor branded, and is about two Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

WILLIAM ELTON,

PERUKE-MAKER,

Living near the Dock in Annapolis,

HAVING lately procured a very neat, skilful Hand, and vast Variety of the best of *English* HAIRS, will make WIGS of any Sorts, and at the cheapest Rates.

He also sells Cauls, Silk and Thread, for Wig-making; likewise Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Rock Indigo, &c.

LOST, 6

THE first Volume of, *The History of a Foundling*, by *Henry Fielding*, Esq; plain Bound, without any Titling. Whoever brings it to the Printer hereof, shall have Five Shillings Reward.

To be SOLD, by Public Vendue, in the Parade in Annapolis, *on the second Day of the Provincial Court in* May, *as soon as the Court adjourns, in the Afternoon,*

THREE Hundred and Twenty Nine Acres of Land, being a good Plantation, in *Baltimore* County, whereon is a good Dwelling House, Tobacco House, and an Orchard of 400 Apple Trees. The Plantation and Improvements are valued to be worth more than 200 *l.* Sterling, but will be set up at 115 *l.* and the Title indisputable. 5 *Roger Randall.*

JOHN CAMPBELL,

TAYLOR, 5

REMOVED from his House, in Town, to his Plantation over *Severn*, hereby gives Notice to his Customers, that he carries on his Business, as usual, having good Hands for that purpose, and will Dispatch Work for his Customers who shall continue to Employ him. He attends in Town, Three Times a Week, and may be met with, either at Mr. *Dick's*, or Mr. *Swan's* Stores, or at his late Dwelling House.

JUST PUBLISHED,

(Containing 84 Pages in Folio),

And to be Sold by the Printer hereof,

THE LAWS made at the last Session of Assembly.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near *Joppa*, on the 11th of last *March*, the two following Servant Men, *viz.*

Nathaniel Nichols, an *Irishman*, of a middle Size, about 5 Feet high, wears his own Hair, talks much, and pretends to be a Barber: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a Cotton Waistcoat, Country Cloth Breeches, two Osnabrigs Shirts, and one Check One, two Pair of Yarn Stockings, Country made Shoes, and a Felt Hat.

John Henry, a *Welchman*, talks much, and is about 4 Feet and a Half high: Had on when he went away a brown Wig, an old Hat, an Osnabrigs Shirt, a Country Cloth Jacket, a Pair of Cotton Breeches, Sailor's Trowsers, Yarn Stockings, and a Pair of Negro Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures them, so that they may be had again, shall have FIVE POUNDS Reward. 6 *George Presbury.*

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On the 3d Day of the Provincial Court, being the 23d Day of May,

THE Dwelling-House and Lot where *Robert Gordon*, Esq; lately deceased, lived; as also the House where Mr. *William Thornton* now lives, and the Warehouses adjoining, with all the Improvements on the said Lot, for Sterling or Currency, by

8 *Agnes Gordon*, Administratrix.

THE Managers of the *Baltimore* LOTTERY, hereby give Notice, That they will certainly draw it, on Tuesday the 30th of *April* ensuing. 8

To be Sold by the Subscribe,

GOOD *West India* Rum, *Muscovado* Sugar, Melasses, Coffee, Salt Glass, 12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, 6 by 4, and Diamond Glass, Linseed Oil, White Lead, and sundry dry Goods, for Cash, Pork, Beef, Corn, Wheat, Peafe, Oats, or Parcels of good Tobacco. 16

Patrick Creagh.

Baltimore County, *Feb.* 18, 1754.

WHEREAS BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, Esq; of *Philadelphia*, has constituted me his Attorney in Fact, for the Western Shore of this Province, for transacting his Affairs: This is therefore to require all Persons indebted to him, on this Side of the Bay, to make speedy Payment of their respective Debts, else they must expect Trouble, from

Their humble Servant,

William Young.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Henry Owings*, in *Baltimore* County, taken up as Strays, the three following Creatures, *viz.*

A Brown Bay Mare, branded on one of her Buttocks with an I.

A Brown Bay Mare, branded on her near Buttock thus ( ) has some Saddle Spots on each Side of her Back, a long Switch Tail, and is a natural Pacer.

And a Brown Bay Mare, branded on both her Buttocks with a Horse Shoe, and has had some Pieces cut out of her right Ear.

The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

INSPECTORS, who are not yet supplied with Books and Notes for the present Year, may be supplied with any Quantities on Application to

Jonas Green.

A SCHEME of a small LOTTERY; For raising the Sum of 490 Pieces of Eight, for building a public Wharf at *Baltimore-Town*.

Numb. of Prizes.		*Pieces of Eight.*		*Total.*
2	of	100	are	200
3	of	50	are	150
3	of	30	are	90
6	of	20	are	120
10	of	15	are	150
20	of	10	are	200
50	of	5	are	250
612	of	3	are	1836
1 first drawn				7
1 last drawn				7
708 Prizes,				3010
1042 Blanks,				
1750 Tickets at 2 Pieces of Eight, are				3500
			For the public Wharf	490

By this Scheme there is not one Blank and a half to a Prize.

As there is nothing more wanting than a public Wharf in the Town, where the Trade is greatly increased within a few Years, it is not to be doubted but People will readily Adventure in this Lottery, who are Well-wishers to the Prosperity of the Town and Province.

Many of the Tickets being already engaged, it is suppos'd the Lottery will be full in a very short Time, of which public Notice will be given, and of the Time of Drawing.

A List of the Prizes will be published in the *Maryland* Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is compleated.

The following Persons are appointed Managers, who are to be under Oath, for the true Performance of their Trust, *viz.* Messrs. *John Stevenson, Richard Chase, John Moale, Charles Croxall, William Rogers, Nicholas Rogers, John Ridgely, N. Ruxton Gay, William Lux*, and *Brian Philpot*, jun.

Tickets to be had of any of the Managers, and at the POST-OFFICE, in *Annapolis*.

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